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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Cover Officer

SUBJECT: Telecon with Major Sykes 11 June re SAC Del Rio Release

1. Major Sykes and I discussed the SAC Del Rio release this morning, and he stated that Secretary Quarles had concurred in the release as you had drafted it, but that he wished to delete the first sentence therein which gives a stated altitude figure.

2. Without having the text at hand, I felt it was important to concur in order to get the release into the hands of the people who needed to use it, and also to remove the last barrier to moving the aircraft [] to Del Rio. Accordingly, I told Sykes that we could see no real objection.

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3. He said that after the release was given a final viewing by Secretary Quarles and General Twining, it would be sent by REX, presumably today, through OIS channels to Colonel Tilley at SAC, Omaha, for immediate release. Major Sykes stated that the question and answer sheet was being sent separately by other means.

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